IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA OF NORTHERN DIVISION

BILLY DWIGHT ESCO, #243253,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
v.)	CASE NO. 2:08-cv-763-TMH
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LT. STEEL, et al.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER

After an independent review of the file, it is the ORDER, JUDGMENT and DECREE of the court that:

- 1. The plaintiff's objection (Doc. #19) to the Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge filed on February 12, 2009 is overruled;
- The Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge (Doc. #18) filed on February 4,
 2009 is adopted;
- 3. Plaintiff's claims against the Alabama Department of Corrections and Commissioner Allen are DISMISSED with prejudice prior to service of process pursuant to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(i and (ii).
- 4. The Alabama Department of Corrections and Commissioner Allen are DISMISSED as parties to this complaint.
- 5. This case with respect to the remaining defendant is referred back to the Magistrate Judge for additional proceedings.

DONE this 5th day of March, 2009.

/s/ Truman M. Hobbs

TRUMAN M. HOBBS SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE